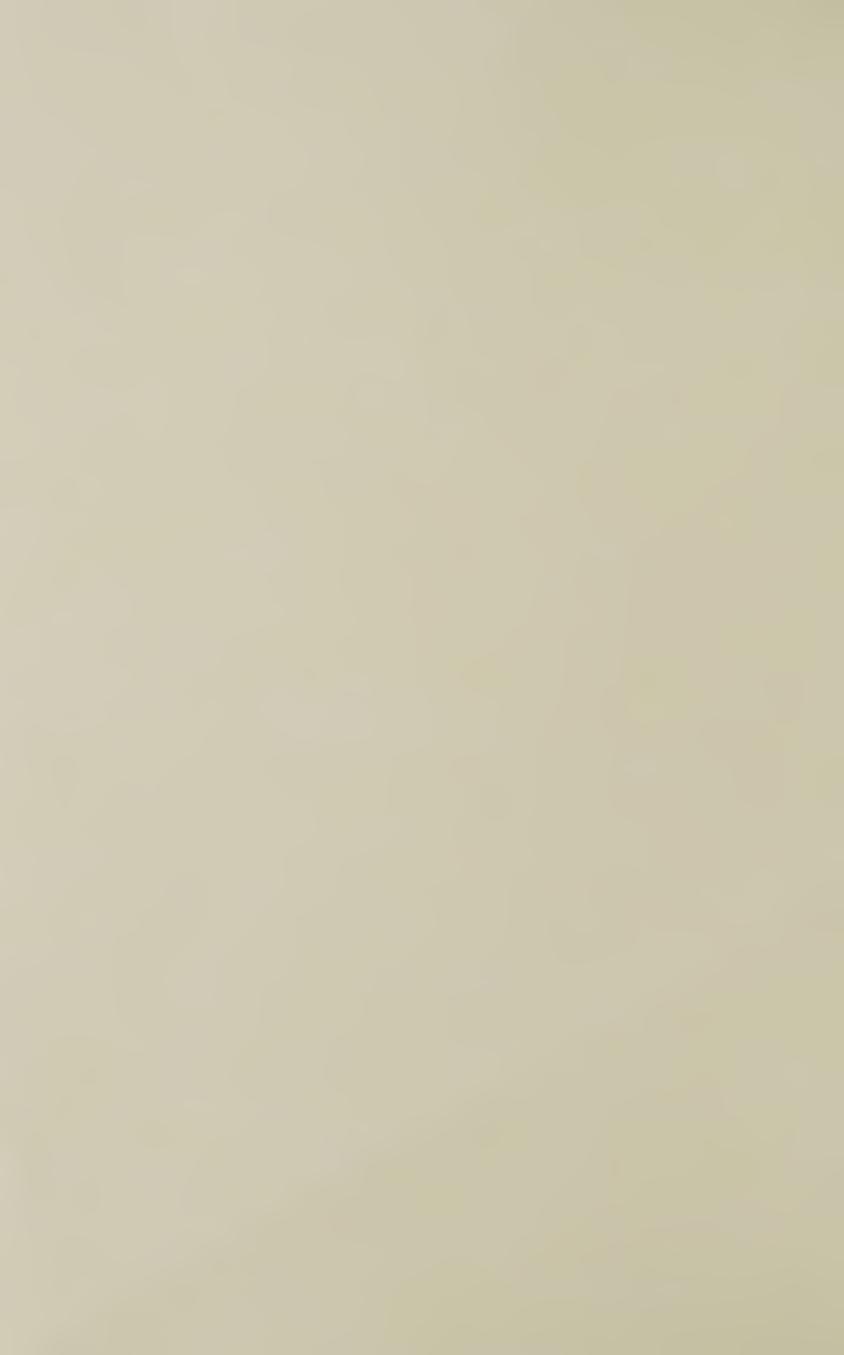
# Historic, archived document

Do not assume content reflects current scientific knowledge, policies, or practices.



1938

### RIVERSIDE FARM

SELECTED VARIETIES

# VEGETABLE & FLOWER SEEDS

BULBS & PLANTS



### BREWER'S FAVORITE TOMATO

From a Photo. Showing a cluster not fully matured, weighing two and one half pounds. Early, productive and of superb quality. Will prove to your entire satisfaction whether grown for home use or market. See inside page.

### C. H. BREWER

Riverside Farm, Rahway, N. J.

### RIVERSIDE FARM

RAHWAY, N. J.

January, 1938



THE THE THE THE THE CHECK CHECK CHECK CHECK

IN CHICATORI

Friends and Patrons:

Another season

and an anomonical particular and anomonical particular and an anomonical particular and anomonical particular anomonical particula

THO HO

has passed and now you will be looking forward and making plans for your garden the coming season. Perhaps you did not plant Riverside Farm Seeds in your garden last season, if not now is a good time to order Riverside Farm Seeds and make a good start. You will make no mistake by planting the Selected Varieties listed in this little catalog as they have all been tested and proved, as among the very best of their kind.

I believe you are interested in Quality varieties, whether vegetable or flowers and through my many years experience in growing these crops I feel that I am able to supply these varieties in seeds that will prove to your entire satisfaction.

The past season many people seeing the crops being grown for seed were amazed at the high grade and selection being made and the expression, "HARD TO BEAT" was often heard. Well that about sizes up the situation. There may be other seeds just as good, but **MONE ARE BETTER.** 

I want to prove the value of Riverside Farm Seeds in your garden this season. I will appreciate an order if only for a single packet, and I can assure you of my personal attention in filling your order with as good seeds, bulbs and plants as may be had anywhere at any price.

I want to thank my old customers for past favors, many of them having sent me the names of their friends who use seeds to send a copy of my catalogue. I appreciate this very much as I often obtain a new customer for Riverside Farm Seeds. With best wishes for the season, I am

Very respectfully

C. H. BREWER

### SEEDS BULBS AND PLANTS SENT POSTPAID

Unless otherwise stated all Seeds, Bulbs and Plants will be sent postpaid to your address. Remit by registered letter, money order, check, or for small amounts stamps will be accepted. Please write your name and address very plainly on every letter and order. Order early and you will have seeds on hand when required.

### RIVERSIDE FARM

SELECTED VARIETIES

# VEGETABLE SEEDS

All vegetable seeds are put up in very liberal packets at 10c. per packet. Any 12 packets your selection for One Dollar, postpaid.



# BUSH BEANS

Early Bountiful. One of the best long flat podded green beans. Very productive and continues in bearing a long time. Free from strings, tender and of fine quality. 41b. 10c; Pound 30c; 5 lbs. \$1.25.

Stringless Black Valentine. The pods when young are nearly round, long and very tender. It is early, vigorous in growth, very prolific and one of the best varieties to grow either in the home garden, or for the market, 41b. 10c; Pound 30c; 5 lbs. \$1.25.

Pencil Pod Wax. The finest long, round podded wax bean. A strong grower, very productive, pods very brittle, stringless and of finest quality. 41b. 10c. Pound 30c; 51bs. \$1.25. All beans in 5 pound lots are sent postpaid.

### FORDHOOK BUSH LIMA

The best of all the potato lima class. Plants strong, upright in growth and a good yielder. The green beans are tender, juicy and of very fine flavor when cooked. 41b. 10c; Pound 30c; 5 lbs. \$1.35. 10 lbs. or more not prepaid, 20c. per pound.

# GIANT PODDED POLE LIMA

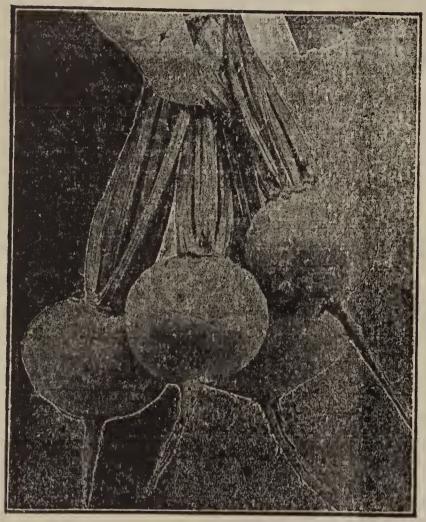
Vines are vigorous in growth and pods are produced in clusters. Pods are often seven inches long and contain 5 to 6 large beans invariably of superb flavor. Very productive and continues in bearing until vines are killed by frost. The best pole lima to plant. 41b. 15c; Lb. 40c; 51bs. \$1.65.

### SWISS CHARD BEET

Early Bountiful Beans

Midland, Ohio. Aug. 12, 1937. Sent to you for seeds last spring and they were wonderful. Brewer's Favorite Tomato is fine. We have plenty ripe fruits and they are extra good in quality. Dwarf Dahlias are beautiful. Mrs. T. C.

Plant Riverside Farm Seeds for best results



Crosby's Early Egyptian Beets

# BEETS

#### CROSBY'S EARLY EGYPTIAN.

A very fine early beet of fine form, deep red flesh and extra good quality. For either the home garden or market it is one of the very best varieties. The seed I offer is of my own growing from selected roots, there is no better to be had at any price. Oz. 15c; \$1b. 30c; 1b. \$1.10. 51bs, \$5.00.

#### DETROIT DARK RED.

A fine beet for market. Roots globe shaped with small tops. Flesh deep red and quality exceptionally fine. Used for canning more than any other variety. Very choice stock. Oz. 15c; 4lb. 35c; lb. \$1.20.

#### FOR STOCK AND POULTRY

Mammoth Long Red. The best long red mangel and heaviest yielder. The quality of the roots for stock and poultry feeding is high. Oz. 10c; 41b. 20c; 1b. 60c.

CELERY EMPEROR. This is the best and finest quality celery that I know of. The stalks grow 15 to 18 inches high, thick through, very brittle, and free from stringy fibers. The stalks have a fine nutty flavor. \(\frac{1}{4}\) Oz. 25c, Oz. 75c.

Easy Blanching, or Sanford Superb. A fine variety of dwarf compact growth, for late fall or winter use. It does not blanch quite as quickly as Golden Self Blanching but keeps better, and the quality is much superior to that variety. Oz. 60c.

# CABBAGE

**GOLDEN ACRE** 

The heads are of medium size, round as a ball and very solid. For an early market crop it is very profitable owing to its earliness, fine quality and appearance. Oz. 35c; 41b. \$1.10.

#### MIDSEASON MARKET

The heads grow very uniform in size, being round, deep, very firm, of good size and fine quality. It is a great cropper and one of the best cabbage to plant. Oz. 30c; 41b, 90c.

#### DANISH BALLHEAD, Short Stem.

This is a heavy yielding strain and under good average conditions this is the most profitable Danish cabbage to raise.

most profitable Danish cabbage to raise. Golden Acre Cabbage

The heads are somewhat flattened, very solid, and of good green color. Pratically every plant makes a good head. It is a good keeper. Oz. 30c; 11b. 85c.

All Vegetable Seeds are 10c. per packet. 12 Pkts for \$1.00.

# CARROTS

Chantenay. A very popular variety extensively grown for fable and market. Roots grow very smooth, deep orange in color, and are of the finest quality. Oz, 15c; 41b. 35c; 1b. \$1.10.

Danvers Half Long. A heavy yielder of fine roots, rich orange in color, medium size and fine quality. A fine market variety. Oz. 15c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. \$1.10.

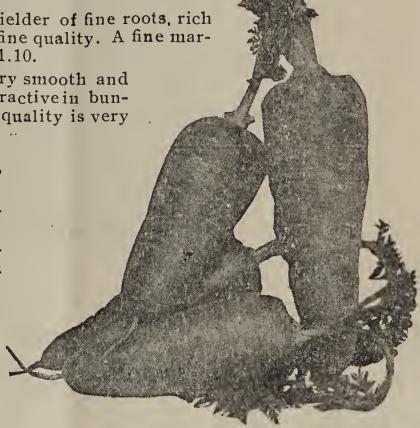
Tendersweet The roots grow very smooth and uniform in size, and are very attractive in bunches or baskets for market. The quality is very good. Oz. 20c; 41b. 50c.



#### A TEAM THAT WILL PULL YOU THROUGH

Brewer's Favorite Tomato for early and the Rutgers for main crop. Size, solidity, fine quality and productiveness are combined in both these New Jersey Tomatoes.

My stock is very FINE.



Chantenay and Danvers Carrots

# SWEET CORN

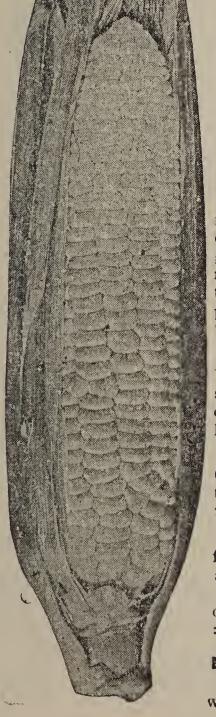
Early Pocahontas. I have grown and selected this variety for the past 18 years and I know Pocahontas to be one of the most productive, delicious quality early varieties grown. Stalks grow about 6 feet high, and produce 8 to 10 rowed ears of large size. For the home garden or getting in the market early with really good corn, Pocahontas will prove to your satisfaction. See cut. 41b. 10c; 1b. 30c; 4 lbs. \$1.00.

Stowells Evergreen. Ears 7 to 8 inches long with 12 to 14 rows of deep kernels of fine quality. This is a superior strain of Evergreen, being northern grown and fully ten days earlier than the ordinary Stowells Evergreen. 41b. 10c; 1b. 30c; 41bs. \$1.00.

Buttercup. Medium early, larger and more prolific than Golden Bantam. The grains are sweet and tender, better than Bantam. If you want the best quality yellow corn try the Buttercup. 4lb. 10c; 1b. 30c; 4lbs. \$1.00.

Whipples Yellow. This is a very fine variety to grow for either home use or market. The large size of the ears and the delicious quality of the corn combines to place it at the top of the list of yellow varieties. Stalks often produce two fine ears. 4lb. 10c; lb. 30c; 4lbs. \$1.00.

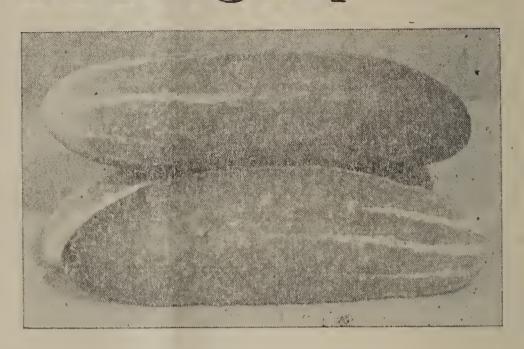
I will be pleased to send a copy of this catalog to any of your friends who may be interested in what I have to offer. Send name and address when you order and I will include an extra Pkt. of seeds.



# CUCUMBER

Early Fortune. This is one of the very best for either home use or for market. Fruits deep green in color, of fine shape and very good quality. The vines are vigand orous, healthy very productive. Oz. 15e; 4b. 35c.

Improved Long Green, A fine variety for pickling, slicing and market. Fruits dark green in color, flesh white, crisp and of fine quality. Oz. 20c; {1b. 50c.



Early Fortune Cucumbers

center. Oz. 20c; 11b. 50c.

Green Curled. This is the most popular and reliable variety to grow. Leaves finely cut and curled and blanch to a creamy white in the

BLACK BEAUTY. This is the best variety. Plants are of vigorous growth and prolific. The fruits grow to a good size and are of a deep and rich color. Oz. 40c; 41b. \$1,25.

Dwarf Green Curled. Chrly bright green leaves, tender and delicious in flavor For winter use seed may be sown as late as July. Oz, 10c; 41b. 30c.

proper stage of growth the quality is fine. Oz. 25c; 41b. 60c.

Early White Vienna. This is the best variety and makes a delicious vegetable for the table. Cut at the

American Flag. The most popular variety, straight and uniform in growth and of fine quality, Grows to a good size. Oz. 25c; 41b. 60c.

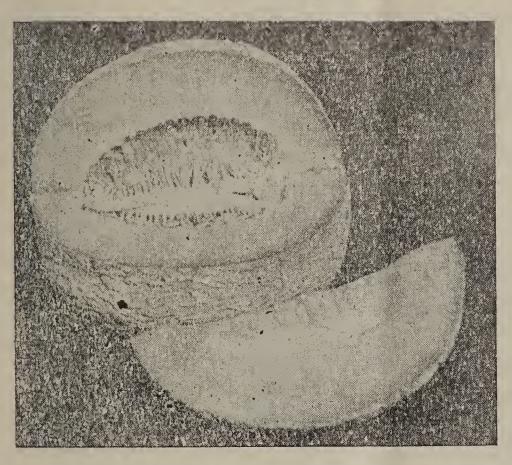
Black Seeded Simpson. The plant forms a large bunch of curled crisp and very tender leaves, of excellent quality. For the home garden it is one of the best loose leaf varieties, and can be used from the

time the plants are small until full grown. Oz. 15c; 4lb. 50c. Grand Rapids. Does not form heads but produces a large bunch of crisp, tender leaves of good quality and may be had all season. Oz, 20c; ½1b. 60c.

May King. Fine for either early spring or fall planting. Plants of quick growth, heads of good size, and a rich buttery flavor. For either home use or market it is one of the best varieties to plant. Oz. 20c; 41b. 50c.

California Iceberg. A very fine type of Iceberg lettuce, producing under favorable conditions large fine heads, almost perfectly round, and matures about ten days earlier than Wonderful or New York. The quality is fine. Oz. 25c; 4lb. 75c.

# MUSK MELON



SUGAR ROCK. Flesh deep orange, very thick and of most delicious flavor. The melons are of medium size, heavily netted, early and the vines are very productive. A fine variety for market as it is sure to give satisfaction. Oz,  $20c; \frac{1}{4}lb. 50c.$ 

Fordhook Early The vines are vigorous in growth and very productive, the melons running even in size, skin roughly netted, flesh salmon color, and of fine quality. Fine for, home garden or market. Oz. 20c; 41b. 50c.

DELICIOUS. The largest and best early muskmelon. For the homegarden and road-

Sugar Rock Musk Melon side stand it will prove, owing to its earliness, high quality and good size, a valuable variety to plant. Flesh deep orange and sweet. Oz. 25c; 4lb. 75c.

# WATER MELON

STONE MOUNTAIN. This is a fine variety for the North as it is one of the earliest to ripen. The melons are dark green in color and almost round in form. Flesh bright red and of finest quality. Oz. 15c; \(\frac{1}{4}\)lb. 40c.

Yellow Globe Danvers. Onions of perfect globe shape, with small necks, and deep white and of mild flavor. Oz. 20c; 41b. 50c. with small necks, and deep yellow in color, Flesh solid,

White Portugal, or Silverskin. This is an early flat variety of good size and mild flavor. It is excellent for growing green onions for bunching and also makes fine onions for pickling. Flesh white and very solid. Oz. 25c; \(\frac{1}{4}\)1b. 75c

LITTLE MARVEL. A very productive and high quality pea, only a few days later than Notts Excelsior, with larger pods, and peas of deep green color. A fine home garden variety. 41b. 15c; 1b. 30c; 41bs. \$1.10.

LAXTONS PROGRESS. Vines grow 15 to 18 inches high, and the pods 5 inches long, deep green and well filled with peas of high quality. This is the largest and considered the best of the medium early dwarf varieties. For either the home garden or market it is one of the very best. 41h. 15c; 1b. 30c; 41bs. \$1.10.

selected roots. Oz. 15c; 4lb. 30c.

Harris Model. The roots grow to medium length, smooth and snow white, being very attractive for market. Seed grown from



Riverside Farm Introductions. See back pages for new Hardy Phlex, Iris and Gladiolus. Varieties that will make a splendid addition to any bed or border. Try them, you will be well pleased.

# PARSLEY

Dwarf Perfection. Leaves finely cut and curled, and the flavor is superior to other parsley. Oz. 15c; \frac{1}{4}lb. 40c.

Hamburg, or Parsnip Rooted. The roots served like parsnips have a very pleasing flavor. They can be stored and used all winter. The leaves can be used same as other parsley. Oz. 15c; \(\frac{1}{4}\)lb. 40c.

# PUMPKIN

Cheese or Pie. Vines are very prolific and fruits ripen early. Flesh deep yellow, sweet and makes good pies. Oz. 10c; \(\frac{1}{4}\)lb. 25c.

### RIVERSIDE FARM PEPPERS



HARRIS WONDER. See cut. This new pepper is really an early type of California Wonder. While it does not grow quite as large, its form, smoothness, thick meat and quality are identical. It is a good yielder, on some plants I counted as many as 18 large fruits, all of which ripened. Its earliness together with all the other good qualities makes if a most valuable pepper to grow where the seasons are short. Try Harris Wonder Pepper I know you will be well pleased with it, either for home use or market. One quarter Oz. 30c; Oz. \$1.00.

Harris 'King of the North' Plants are medium in size, and somewhat branching in growth. Fruits dark green turning to a deep red when ripe. Flesh thick, mild and of fine quality. Fine for the home garden, and growers for market who want a really fine, large early pepper cannot do better than grow 'King of the North' Pepper. Seed of my own growing from the best fruits only as long as my supply holds out. 4 Oz. 20c; Oz. 50c; 4lb. \$1.75.

California Wonder. A wonderfullyfine market variety. The flesh is very thick, heavy and of finest quality. Medium early, and a heavy yielder under good growing conditions. Oz. 50c; 11b. \$1.75.

Golden Giant. The fruits are very thick fleshed, large size, smooth and deep golden yellow when ripe. The peppers are of very fine quality. 4 Oz. 25c.

RADISH Early Scarlet Globe. Bright red in color, flesh white, firm and crisp. Matures very early and is one of the best early radishes for either the home garden or growing for the market. Oz. 15c; \(\frac{1}{4}\)lb. 25c; lb. 65c.

Crimson Giant. A very fine globe-shaped radish that does not become pithy, even when of large size, a quick grower, pure white flesh, crisp and of mild flavor. A fine all seasons radish. Oz. 15c; \$1b. 30c; 1b. 90c.

Icicle or Pearl. The best long radish, pure white, straight and nearly the same size the whole length. Grows quick and is of fine quality. Oz. 15c; 4lb. 30c.

SPINACH King of Denmark. A fine variety of extra fine quality, and will stand longer than any other kind before running to seed. If you are fond of good spinach this variety will please you. Oz. 10c; 11b. 20c; 1b. 40c.

Long Standing Bloomsdale. The leaves are large, thick and heavy, deep green and very much crumpled. It makes a fine appearance, and is a profitable variety for market owing to heavy yield and fine quality. Oz. 10c; 4lb. 20c; 1b. 40c.

# SQUASH



Table Queen Squash

Golden Summer Crookneck. Plants of bush growth, early and very prolific. Squashes crook-necked and of a rich yellow color, and of very good quality when cooked. Seed from selected fruits only. Oz. 15c; 41b. 35c; 1b. \$1.25.

Cocozelle. The fruit is long and slender, mottled with dark and light green. It is used when 10 or 12 inches long and can be boiled or cut in slices and fried. It is very good. Oz. 15c; 4lb, 45c.

TABLE QUEEN. The fruits grow 4 to 5 inches long, and 4 inches in diameter, with a hard shell, and will keep all winter when well ripened. Flesh deep yellow, sweet. and of fine flavor and is one of the best for baking in the half shell. Try it. Oz. 15c; ½1b. 45c; 1b. \$1.25.

BLUE HUBBARD. The squashes are of a gray-blue color, grow to large size, and the shell is very hard making it a remarkably good keeper. The quality is fine, being superior to the original Hubbard. Oz. 20c; 4lb. 60c.

Red Top white Globe. An excellent globe-shaped turnip for market or table use. Early and a heavy yielder. Oz. 15c; 4lb. 25c; 1b. 60c.

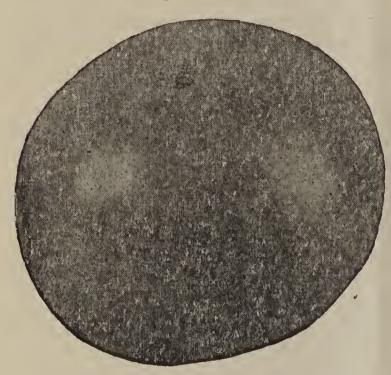
RUTA BAGA. Imp. Long Island. This is a very fine strain of Ruta Baga. Roots grow round, smooth, bright yellow with purple top, medium size and of finest quality for table use. Oz. 15c; 41b. 30c.

what po you say? Let us get acquainted. You may require some seeds, and if so send me an order, no matter if small. I want to prove to you the value of Riverside Farm Selected Varieties, Vegetable and Flower Seeds. See back pages for Gladiolus, Iris and Hardy Phlox.

## TOMATOES

# BREWERS FAVORITE TOMATO EARLY, PRODUCTIVE, FINE QUALITY

See front cover illustration of cluster, photographed at the stage of growth when just starting to ripen. This cluster at the time weighed two and one-half pounds, which shows the great solidity of the fruits.



The vines are vigorous in growth, and productive of good sized fruits, which are the most solid and best quality of any tomato in the early or medium early class. The fruits ripen up fine and hold up in sise, throughout the season It is a good keeper the flesh never becoming mealy as do some varieties when ripe. Its fine quality makes it a grand tomato for the home garden, and as has been demonstrated the past season owing to its fine flavor Brewer's Favorite Tomato has no superior in the making of tomato juice. From all reports received I feel sure that tomato growers for early market will do well to

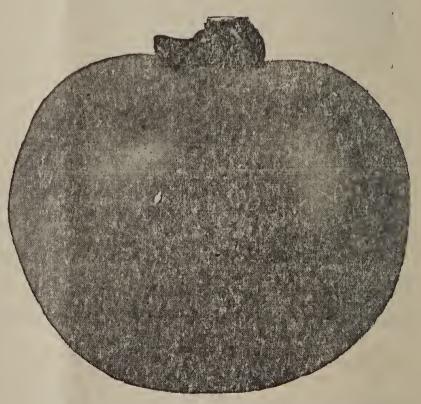
try Brewer's Favorite, alongside any other early variety. I have the entire stock of this tomato, the seed being saved from the best fruits and can only be obtained at Riverside Farm, at the following price, as long as my supply holds out. If you have not grown Brewer's Favorite Tomato start this season, either for the home garden or growing for market.

Packet, 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  Oz. 20c; Oz. 60c;  $\frac{1}{4}$ 1b. \$2.00.

#### SCARLET TOPPER

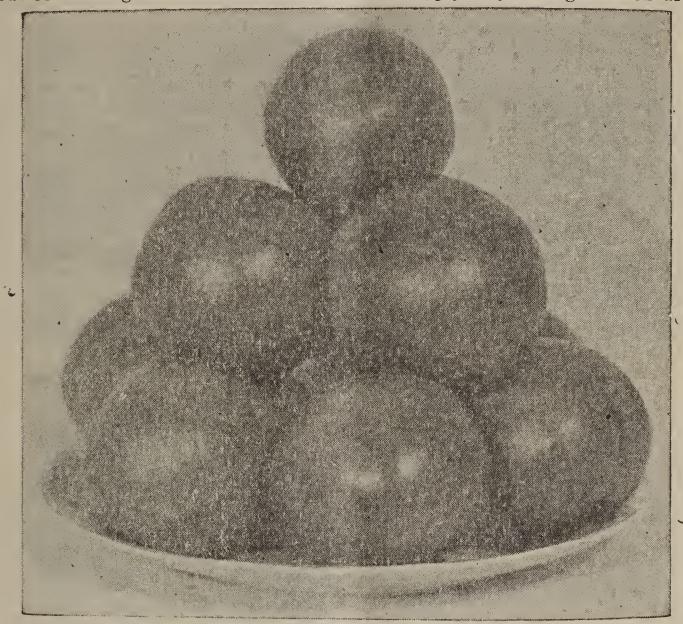
Scarlet Topper is the best of the new varieties introduced by the late Dr. Pritchard. I have a very fine strain of this variety. The cut shows a sphcimen as taken from the tomatoes picked for seed.

The fruits are of good size, flesh thick, firm and of bright red color throughout. Vines of strong vigorous growth and very productive, and the fruits color perfectly right up to the stem. The quality is fine, being almost as good as Brewer's Favorite. Fine for the home garden, and market growers will find Scarlet Topper a profitable variety to grow. Oz. 50c; 41b. \$1.75.



# THE RUTGERS TOMATO SECOND EARLY, MAIN CROP VARIETY

My stock of the Rutgers Tomato is fine, seed is saved from selected fruits. There is no better, and if you want to grow a crop of fine tomatoes plant Riverside Farm seeds of the Rutgers Tomato this season. Will supply only as long as stock lasts.



Vines are of stocky vigorous growth, and with an abundance of foliage protecting the fruits from the hot sun. Fruits uniform, very smooth, of good size and very solid, with small seed cavities, Flesh bright red, thick and of very good quality, being much superior to the Marglobe. For canning and tomato juice purposes the Rutgers Tomato owing to its rich, red color, and fine flavor will give satisfaction. Classed as a second early in ripening it will be found a valuable variety for the home garden or growing for marketing.

Another seasons trial convinces me that the Rutgers Tomato will withstand more wet weather conditions without cracking than any other tomato that I know of and produce a heavy yield, where most other varieties would sustain a heavy loss.

produce a heavy yield, where most other varieties would sustain a heavy loss. I do not hesitate to recommend my stock of the Rutgers Tomato to all growers who want to try this variety. Give it a trial. 4Oz. 20c; Oz. 50c; 4lb. \$1.75.

### **MATCHLESS TOMATO**

Vines vigorous in growth, producing a large crop of fine fruits smooth as an apple, fine quality, rich red in color, and unexcelled as a main crop variety. Fine for canning or market. Oz. 45c; \$1.50.



I SAY, now is a good time to send me an order no matter if small. I will appreciate it and you will appreciate Riverside Farm Selected Varieties, after once giving them a trial.

### RIVERSIDE FARM

SELECTED VARIETIES

### FLOWER SEEDS



In the selection of the varieties I am offering, it is my aim to select those which I know will give satisfaction to the planter.

Riverside Farm Flower Seeds are of the best strains to be obtained, grown and selected with great care. The varieties are mostly of the finest mixtures, comprising many superb colors. All flower seeds are

10c. per packet, except where otherwise priced. Any 12, 10c. Pkts. \$1.00.

The varieties marked Per. are perennials which live out over winter and grow larger and finer each year. Some of the varieties need to be divided so as not to form too large a clump for best results.

### 

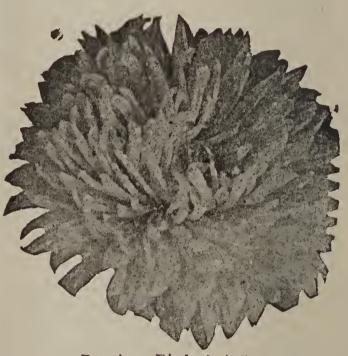
#### **ASTERS**

New Wilt-Resistant Strains

Peerless Pink. A free bloomer, producing large flowers of a deep pink color. Plants are of strong upright growth, and flowers are produced on long stems. One of the best pink asters.

Heart of France. Plants are of strong growth, the bright garnet-red flowers are large and full, and of striking appearance. Fine for the flower bed.

New Royal. For market or the home garden, Royal Asters are uasurpassed. The flowers are large and full, with long incurved petals, colors rich and clear, and include white, pink, rose. lavender and purple. One of the best asters.



Peerless Pink Aster

### ANTIRRHINUM OR SNAPDRAGON

Half Tall. Superb mixture. Plants are of compact growth, 15 inches tall, and bloom profusely from July until late fall. The past season owing to the wonderful array of colors they were greatly admired by everybody seeing them when in bloom. They stand up well and are fine for cutting.

Tall Large Flowering. Variety mixture. A very fine strain. Plants are uniform in growth, commence flowering early, and if kept cut will continue throughout the season. My variety mixture contains many beautiful colors and is sure to please all who are fond of fine snapdragons.

Alyssum

Sweet Alyssum. Fine for borders. Grows about one foot high, and is very fragrant.

Ageratum

Swanley Blue. A very satisfactory annual, easily grown from seed sown in the open ground and blooms all summer.

Aquilegia Exhibition Hybrids. Per. The gracefulness of shape, and the beautiful colors make this columbine one of the most charming of all flowers. A fine border plant, and easily grown from seed.

Anchusa Italica, Dropmore variety. Per. The plants grow about 4 feet in height, and produce a profusion of rich deep sky-blue blooms during June and July. Very showy in the border.

Agrostemma Rose Champion. Per. Bright rose colored flowers produced on plants two feet tall, during July and August.

Balsam Defiance, mixed. An old garden favorite. Plants grow 18 inches high, and are thickly covered with flowers from top to bottom.

Baby's Breath Gypsophlia Elegans Alba. The sprays of white flowers mixed in bouquets give them a most exquisite daintiness. Plants grow rapidly and sowings should be made every three weeks for a succession of bloom. Easily grown from seed.

Boltonia Latisquama. Per. Grows five to six feet high and bears a profusion of star shaped pinkish bloom during September and October. Fine for cutting and withstands dry conditions very well. Good for backgrounds.

Canterbury Bells are hardy biennials flowering the second year from seed sown in the open ground. Single bell-shaped flowers in rose, white and blue. By many considered the most satisfactory to grow. They do well in any garden soil, but prefer a little shade.

Candytuft Fine for massing in beds, borders and along driveways. Special mixture of the brightest colors.

Calendula Balls Orange. Flowers large, double and a bright orange in color The most popular calendula.

Art Shades. Many tones and shades will be found, in fact almost every known color in calendulas.

Sunshine. Bears large bright canary yellow flowers, the center petals tend to curl inward. Grows two feet tall, and blooms over a very long period.



### CARNATION

Chebaud. They are easy to grow and make a fine display, blooming freely during July and August. The long stemmed flowers are excellent for cutting, lasting a long time in water. Fine mixed colors. Per.

Harris New Hardy. Per. Plants are perfectly hardy and will bloom yaar after year if the flowers are kept picked and plants kept growing. They are easy to grow from seed and the flowers are very fragrant. Mixed colors,

#### COREOPSIS

Lanceolata. Per. Delights to grow in the sunshine, and produces a profusion of golden yellow flowers, fine for cutting and bouquets all during summer. Hardy and one of the best yellow flowers. Good for borders or single plants.

See back pages for New Iris, Phlox and Gladiolus. Give them a trial.

Clarkia There are few plants the flowers of which will give more pleasure than the brilliant flowers of the double clarkia. They are easy to grow. Plants 2 feet high, and are very pretty both in the garden and when cut for bouquets. Fine mixed colors.

Centaurea Imperalis. Plants grow two feet high, and produce large exquisitely fringed flowers with a delicate fragrance. Fine for cutting and in making up bouquets. Mixed colors.

Celosia Magnificent. Mixed colors. Plants grow two feet tall, and produce magnificent feathery plumes ranging in color from red to yellow. when cut fresh and dried the flowers will retain their shape and color.

#### RIVERSIDE FARM COSMOS

New Early Flowering. Large graceful flowers, in pink, white and red. Starts blooming early, and is fine for cutting and decorative purposes.

New Sensation. Plants grow strong and stocky and produce wonderfully large flowers in pink and white. Early flowering, and a cosmos that you will be more than pleased with in the flower garden or border.

Golden Cosmos. Orange Flare. The foliage is dark green and very attractive. Flowers of a golden orange color, are of large size and produced in great profusion. Blooms within 90 days from sowing of seed.

One Packet each, above three fine Cosmos for 25c.

### UNWIN'S DWARF HYBRID DAHLIAS

Real Gems of Beauty. Fine for Rock Gardens or Borders

Plants grow 18 to 24 inches high and produce a mass of single and semi-double flowers all through the season. Along the walk, in the border or for the rock garden they are sure to delight you with the gracefulness of the plants and exquisite coloring of the flowers.

They are as easy to grow from seeds as zinnias. Pkt. 20c. 3 packets for 50c.

Daisy Shasta. Per. The pure white flowers grow to large size, and bloom profusely all summer. They are perfectly hardy, and are one of the best white flowers for cutting purposes. Easily grown from seed.

Dianthus or borders. It can be sown outside in the spring and will commence to bloom in a few weeks and coutinue until after hard freezing weather. Grows about one foct high, and the flowers are fine for cutting and bouquets.



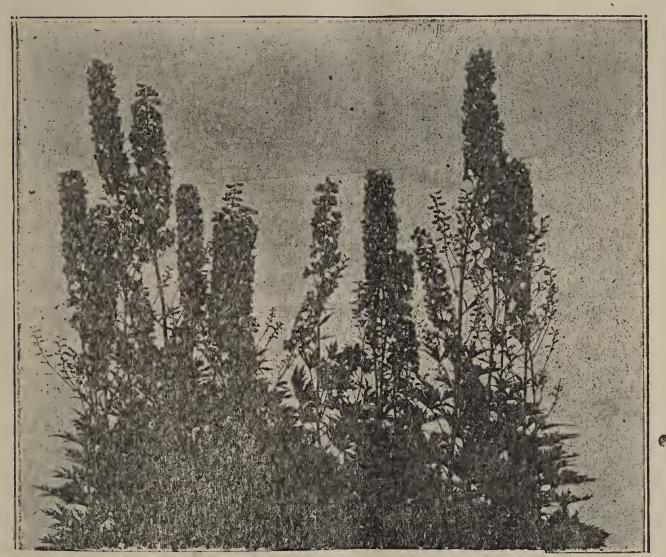
Dwarf Hybrid Dahlias

Hardy Pinks. Per. Hardy pinks have always been great favorites. They grow well in any location and produce many flowers.

Prices quoted are for Seeds, Bulbs and Plants postpaid to your address

### RIVERSIDE FARM DELPHINIUMS

For display and cutting purposes Delphiniums with their massive, colorful spikes of flowers and stateliness of the plants creates a feeling of satisfaction to the grower, perhaps more than any other perennial flower. A deep, rich, well drained soil and a location protected from high winds will insure success in the growing of these beautiful flowers. My stock is as fine as may be had, and I am sure you will be highly pleased with Riverside Farm Delphiniums. Pkt. 25c. 3 for 60c.



From a Photo. showing the upper portion of a single clump of Riverside Farm Delphiniums in flower.

Echinops Globe Thistle. Per. A stately border plant with thistle like foliage and large ball-shaped flowers. A fine background plant.

Euphorbia Snow-on-the-Mountain. Bright green foliage margined with white. Fine for cutting and mixing with other flowers.

ESChScholtzia California Poppy. Low growing plants with brigh. saucer shaped flowers that spread over the ground. Produces a mass of sparkling colors all summer. A fine mixture of choice colors.

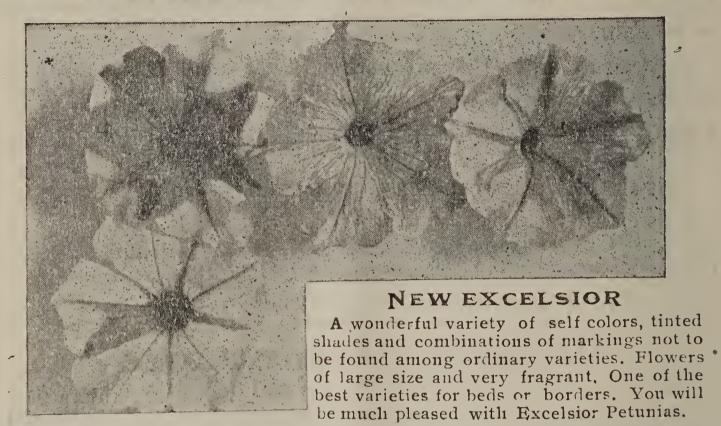
Gaillardias Blanket Flower. Plants grow about 18 inches high and are not affected by hot weather. Fowers double and off various colors, making a brilliant show in the garden, or when cut for bouquets.

Grandiflora. Per. Fine for cut flowers, blooming all the season. Flowers deep yellow with maroon markings. Good for making bouquets.

Heliopsis Hardy Zinnia. Per. Plants grow 3 feet high, and bloom profusely during the summer. Flowers a bright golden yellow.

Hibiscus Mallow. Per. A splendid tall growing plant, with flowers of large size, in white and shades of pink from July to September.

### RIVERSIDE FARM PETUNIAS



Elks Purple. This is a very fine purple, the flowers being of a deep velvety texture and are produced in great profusion. Plants of vigorous growth. Pkt. 15c.

New Defiance. Flowers are large, and of varied and beautifuf colors. Blooms profusely from midsummer until frost. Variety of colors. Pkt. 20c.

Dwarf Giants of California. Fine for bedding purposes and growing in pots. The large flowers of many colors are borne on dwarf compact plants. Pki. 20c.

Phlox Drummondi ing early and continue until late in the fall. For mass effect, and borders where a brilliant display of colors is desired plant phlox. Grandistora, Mixed colors. The plants start bloom-

Portulaca Rose flowered, mixed colors. A most effective plant along walks, for carpet bedding and in the rock garden. Plants of spreading habit and bloom freely all summer.

Shirley. Ruffied and semi-double flowers in shades of pink. rose Poppies and scarlet. A very fine strain, easy to grow and will please you.

Sweet Briar. A new double shirley of enchanting rose pink. Lasts well in water.

New Cardinal. The wonderful fluffiness, large size, and colors of the flowers is amazing. The character of growth, early and continuous bloom throughout a longer season than other varieties makes this poppy of wonderful value in the garden.

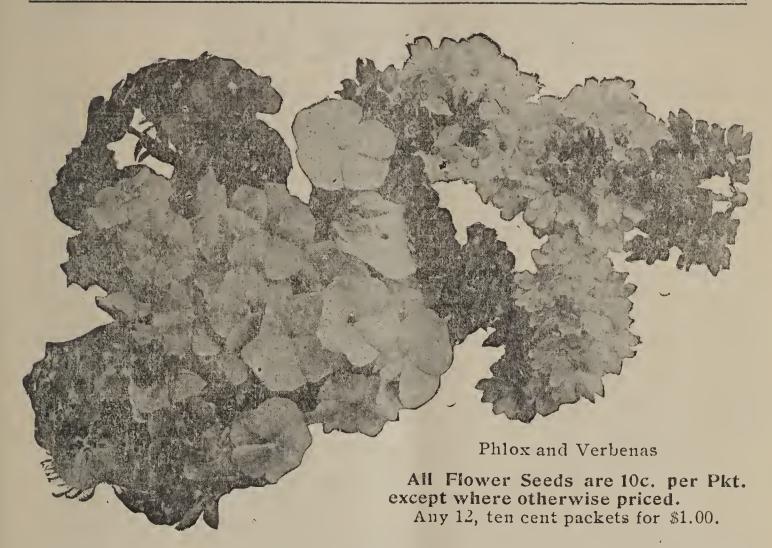
Oriental. Per. Mammoth bright red flowers early in June. When once started the plants live for years, getting better each year.

Pyrethrum shades of pink and red. Blooms early and is fine for cutting, Painted Daisy. Per. Flowers on long stems are produced in

Purpurea. Per. A very attractive hardy flower, blooming Rudbeck1a during August and September. Plants grow 3 feet high and produce large flowers with a dark center, and drooping petals of a lilac shade.

### SPENCER SUPERB, SWEET PEAS

The best for sowing for midseason blooming. It contains the most desirable colors in Spencer sweet peas, and is much superior to the ordinary mixture of Spencer sweet peas offered. You will be pleased with this superb mixture, and the wonderful colors and beauty of the flowers. Oz. 20c; 41b. 60c.



Salpiglossis Emperor Mixture, Produces beautiful velvety flowers with gold veining. Plants grow 2 to 3 feet high, and make a wonderful display in beds or borders.

Scabiosa Variety Mixture. One of the nicest flowers for bouquets, having long stems, and will last for a week in water. They are easily grown and the colors are gorgeous, ranging from white to almost black.

Salvia Splendens. Spikes of bright scarlet flowers, produced from midsummer until frost. Plants grow 3 feet tall and are very showy.

Strawflowers They are easy to grow, fine for beds or borders, and the flowers may be cut and dried for winter bouquets. Should be planted in full sunlight, and the plants spaced two feet apart for best results. Several choice colors in mixture.

Sidelcea Pink Beauty, Per. A very attractive plant. The pink flowers are back before going to seed will bloom again in the fall, Height 4 to 5 feet.

Stokesia Cyanea. Per. Produces large flowers of a beautiful shade of blue. Will grow and bloom all summer in any sunny situation.

Tritoma Pfitzeri. Per. A very attractive plant for the border. The spikes of flowers, of a bright orange-scarlet are fine for cutting.

Verbenas, and the colors are deeper and brighter. They are fine for beds and borders. Several colors in splendid mixture that will surely please you.

Zinnias Giant Dahlia Flowered. See inside page, back cover. Plants grow 2 to 3 feet high, and bloom profusely from midsummer until frost. I take great pride in my stock of these zinnias. 4Oz, 60c; Oz, \$2.00.

New Fantasy. A most attractive new type of zinnia. The twisted and curled petals of the flowers give this zinnia a distinct feature, and the colors are fine.

Tom Thumb. Plants grow about one foot high, and bloom profusely all through the season. Fine for borders and in the rock garden. Mixed colors.

# GLADIOLUS

#### GRANDEST OF ALL SUMMER GARDEN FLOWERS

There is no other flower that will last longer, or is better for table bouquets than a bunch of gladiolus. They should be planted more liberally.

O. K. MIXTURE, This is composed mostly of named varieties and has a wide range of colors and continues in bloom for a long time. The bulbs are fine and of large size, in fact I do not believe you can purchase better bulbs at any price,

First size, 12 for 40c. 25 for 75c. postpaid, Second size, 12 for 20c. 25 for 35c. postbaid.

#### SPECIAL, 100 FIRST SIZE BULBS FOR \$3,00.

Sent prepaid to your address. Order early. Bulbs will be sent as soon as weather enditions permit. Fine for growing for roadside stand sales. Give them a trial,

New Gladiolus, Westfield. See back cover. A beautiful gladiolus, having a white ground, splotched and veined with light and darker shades of carmine color, blending out to a delicate pink. It is a good grower producing spikes with 12 to 14 flowers under favorable conditions. Order some bulbs this season as I have made the price low for a variety of its class. Large bulbs 15c. each. 3 for 30c, 12 for \$1,00.

#### SIX OF THE FINEST NAMED GLADIOLUS

Selected as outstanding, owing to their large size and attractiveness. Maid of Orleans. The flowers borne on long stems are a beautiful creamy white. Flaming Meteor. Tall scarlet with enormous florets, One of the finest reds. Picardy. Gorgeous shrimp pink. Large spike with many fine florets. King Arthur. Very distinctive, having ruffled and fluted petals. Rosy lavender. Clarion, Tall growing variety of a deep yellow color. Commauder Kohl. A huge rich red gladiolus that will surely please you.

Price. Either variety, bulbs 10c. each. 3 for 25c. One of each for 50c.



#### TIGRIDIAS

Known also as Tiger Flower. It is an odd and brilliant colored flower, very attractive, and blooms all summer Succeeds in ordinary soil, the culture and care of the bulbs being the same as for gladiolus. Order a few bulbs I know you will be much pleased with the gorgeous flowers when in bloom. Price bulbs, 10c. each, 12 for \$1.00.

Make your selection of any 12, 10c. packets of vegetable or flower seeds for \$1.00. Order now and get the biggest dollar value you ever received. Riverside Farm Seeds give satisfaction.

# IRIS

Iris make good cut flowers and produce a wonderful display in May and June. Mass planting of 3 to 6 of a variety makes a very effective display.

### THREE NEW JERSEY IRIS

#### RIVERSIDE FARM INTRODUCTIONS

These three new Iris attracted much attention the past season. The comments as to their beauty being about equally divided among the three varieties. I quote from a letter received last June, "The three Iris you seut me last year thrived and bloomed beautifully. They are a wonderful variety and make a splendid addition to any garden." Having increased my stock I can now offer fine plants at a price you can afford. You will be well pleased if you grow these three Iris.

Jersey Queen Iris

#### JERSEY QUEEN

Falls are white, with lavender border. Uprights lavender and white, delicately blended, giving the flower an orchid like appearance. Flowers large, and in group or border planting will make a fine display.

#### JERSEY BELLE

Falls lower half rich purple with light edging of white, the upper portion showing a sort of scroll work in white over purple ground. Uprights, outside white, inside blotched or margined with purple. It is very attractive,

#### JERSEY GEM

Quite in contrast to the above two in color, this iris adds much in combination with the other two. Falls a rich velvety maroon, lower

other two. Falls a rich velvety maroon, lower half. Uprights shaded a coppery bronze. The flowers are well placed, and it is a free bloomer. Price, either variety 25c. each. 3 of each for \$2,00. Postpaid.

### OTHER CHOICE VARIETIES

Baby Blue. Good for low mass planting.
Dr. Bernice. Coppery bronze, velvety crimson falls.

Fairy. Early, white, bordered blue. Florentina. White tinged lilac. George Joerg. Very early, white, Gipsy Queen, Yellow and maroon. Gen. Dewitt. Red and purple, Germanica, Early. Blue and yellow. Her Majesty. Rose pink, veined red Jaquesiana. Brown tones.

Juniata. Blue, vlolet. Large, fragrant. Kaleidoscope. Maroon falls, striped, blotched, no two alike.

King. Maroon, bordered yellow.

Lady James. Violet, veined.

Mme. Chereau. White, frilled blue.

Purple King. Purple. A fine iris.

Rein Nixe. White and violet, with an attractive border. Large.

Price, Strong plants, 10c. each, 12 for \$1.00. Iris can be planted almost anytime.



Don't make the mistake of spending time and money in the preparation and fertilization of your garden and buy any old variety because it is cheap. It pays to plant the best, and Riverside Farm Selected Varieties are all of known quality. They are varieties selected to give the greatest satisfaction to the planter.



### 5 NEW HARDY PHLOX

Originated and named at Riverside Farm

These fine Phlox will please you. When once planted will grow more showy every year, and make a fine display of color during a long season.



Miss Durrell. See Illustration. Large trusses, pure white with lavender star in center of the flowers. Wonderfully fragrant and a good bloomer.

Lady June. Starts blooming in June and continues all season. Flowers a beautiful blend of dark pink and white, with crimson ring in center of the flower.

Betty Snow. Large trusses, absolutely white. Everybody seeing this phlox in boom have commented upon the pure whiteness of the flowers.

Garnet Rose. A bright color, showing up fine from a distance. Free bloomer. Miriam. White with pinkish blend and darker ring in center of the flower. A profuse bloomer and very attractive. These five varieties will make a fine display.

Price, 20c, each. 3 for 30c. One each of the five varieties for 75c.

### TEN CHOICE PEONIES

#### ALL HIGH RATEING VARIETIES

Augustin D' Hour. Large, brilliant red. Medium early.

Albert Crousse. Large compact flower with tinted flesh-pink center.

Barroness Schroeder. Flesh-white, fragrant, and a free bloomer.

Candidissima. Sulphur yellow, with white ground petals. Large, early.

Duchess De Nemours. White, a free Modiste Guerin. bloomer, and flowers keep well when cut. tint. Large, early.

Eulalia Superba. Old-rose pink, very fragrant. Extra early.

Felix Crousse, Midseason. Large, rich red flowers. One of the best red varieties.

Festiva Maxima. Pure white with crimson flakes on a few central petals.

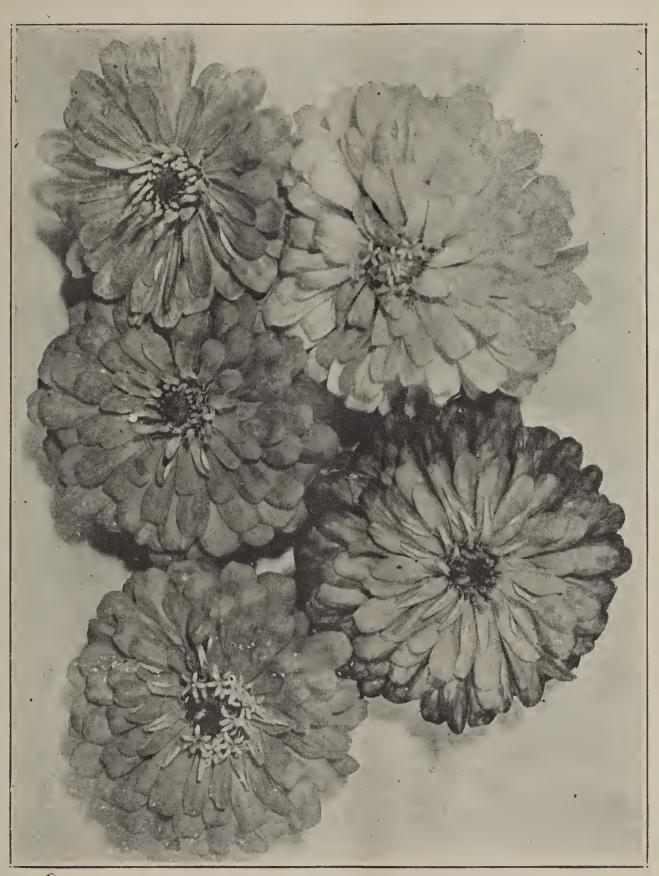
Marie Jacquin, Pale pink, changes to white with creamy tones.

Modiste Guerin. Dark rose with violet tint. Large, early.

Price. Any above varieties Peonies 35c. each. 3 for \$1.00,

### GIANT DAHLIA FLOWERED ZINNIAS

One of my specialities. I take great pride in my stock of these zinnias. They have attracted much attention owing to their many bright colors, and large size of the flowers. Seed is saved from the finest flowers only and I am confident there is no better to be had at any price.



From a Photo. Plants grow 2 to 3 feet tall, and bloom profusely from midsummer until frost. To grow the finest flowers the plants should be spaced at least 24 inches apart, in good soil, in a sunny location and given water freely. For other varieties see inside page.

Packet, 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  ounce, 60c; Ounce. \$2.00.

### NEW GLADIOLUS, WESTFIELD



From a Photo. The great beauty and delicate blending and color of this new Gladiolus won the admiration and many fine compliments from people seeing it in bloom at Riverside Farm, the past season. See inside page.

### C. H. BREWER

Riverside Farm, Rahway, N. J.

Riverside Farm Press